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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the aboveidentified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.